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LAW GOES TO S.Q., BARTALINI JAILED

Fort Bragg Men Sentenced; Bartalini Fined $500

Millard Law will serve an indeterminate sentence in San Quentin prison for his part in the burglary of The Ship, a Fort Bragg bar and restaurant, on the morning of February 18. Nini Bartalini, an accomplice of Law, will serve 90 days in the county jail and pay a fine of $500. These sentences were imposed Friday by Superior Judge Lilburn Gibson.

The Ship was entered and robbed the morning of February 18, after the place had been closed at 2 o'clock. Law and Bartalini were in the county jail here and Sheriff Broaddus had the latter's written statement of the crime, obtained soon after midnight of the same day, the men having been arrested in a hotel room at Santa Rosa the night following the burglary.

Only the money left in the cash register was taken, amounting to $103.35, a part of which was recovered from the prisoners.

Suspicion fell on the two men because they had been unemployed over quite a period of time, but always had spending money. In clearing up the attack on The Ship, the sheriff's office involved the men in a jewelry store robbery on Lower Broadway, Oakland, in mid-January. This was a window-smashing job in which they obtained several wrist watches and wrist bands, some of which they had sold at Fort Bragg.

Confession was made of an attempt to break into the College Inn at Fort Bragg on the night they raided The Ship, and Bartalini admitted robbing the Community Hospital of a small amount of money. Previously they had entered the College Inn, on January 18, and two nights before had attempted to burglarize the bowling alley.

John Bednar Rites Held Here Sunday

Friends and relatives gathered Sunday to pay final tribute to John Bednar of Redwood Valley, who died in Ukiah General Hospital last Thursday, following a stroke. Mr. Bednar was unmarried, the son of the late Mary Bednar and John Bednar of Texas, where he was born May 16, 1881. He lived for 28 years in Redwood Valley where he had scores of friends.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. in the Eversole Mortuary with Rev. J. R. Edgar officiating. Pallbearers were Denny Dennis, Jerry Gray, Amio Pomo, Bernard Saunders, George Austin and William Hildreth. Interment was in Ukiah Cemtery.

Mr. Bednar was a member of Woodmen of the World. He is survived by the following relatives: two sisters, Mrs. Annie Brakebill and Miss Lucille Bednar, and a brother, Frank Bednar. Another brother, Edward Bednar of Redwood Valley, died a few years ago. Surviving nieces and nephews are: Barbara, Mary and Franklin Bednar; Edward and John Brakebill.

Ukiah's Speaker Won At Lakeport

Lino Nivolo of Redwood Valley, who, by winning the speaking contest here on March 11 became the representative of the Ukiah Lions Club in the zone contest held at Lakeport last week, won the zone contest in competition with Louise Castle of Laytonville and Joan Billingsley of Lakeport, both representing Lions Clubs of their communities.

The district finals will be held in June at the Lions district convention when the top prize will be $600 cash scholarship, and when portable typewriters will be given the six finalists.

The topic, Do Frontiers of Opportunity Still Exist for American Youth, will be the same all the way through the series of meetings.

Fifty-three Delegates For G.O.P. Convention

SACRAMENTO, MARCH 20. — (WNS)—Delegates from the First Congressional district who will run on the Republican ticket at the June 1 primary to represent California Republicans at the National convention are Charles R. Barnum, Eureka lumberman, and Culver C. Rogers, Chico furniture dealer.

The state central committee named 53 delegates for the ticket.

Thomas Jones, S. 1/c, paid a surprise visit to his uncle and aunt, Mr .and Mrs. C. E. Wallett of Cloverdale last week and to Bonny Wallett in Ukiah. Jones is with the U.S.S. Boxer and was a resident of Ukiah about 12 years ago, before the Walletts moved to Cloverdale.

Mrs. Joe Silva of Cloverdale attended the meeting of the Legion Auxiliary in Ukiah last week.

Four Little Maids Take Off On Maiden Air Trip

This quartet of Ukiah beauties took their first flyer to San Francisco Friday evening of last week and were camera cornered by the Journal man just before they boarded the Southwest Airways plane at the Ukiah port on their very first trip by air. From left to right they are Jeannette Garzini, Giovanna Bricarelli, Betty Farnsworth, Norma Garaventa.

FRANCHISE GIVEN ANTONI TRUCKS

State Commission Grants All Requests In Petition

Al Antoni received word Wednesday that his Antoni Truck Lines' petition for a common carrier's franchise had been passed by the Public Utilities Commission, granting everything the petition asked for and opening the entire east bay area to service by Antoni trucks, including refrigeration service. The franchise becomes effective April 15.

In the area contingent to Ukiah, Antoni trucks will serve the territory from the north city limits of Healdsburg to the north city limits of Laytonville and off-side points of Talmage, Redwood Valley, etc. In the east bay district the franchise includes San Francisco, Oakland, Alameda, South San Francisco, Berkeley, Richmond, Albany, San Leandro, and others.

The Utilities commission's decision brings to an end more than 18 months of intensive efforts during which a long series of meetings have been held, in Ukiah, Willits, Cloverdale and San Francisco and this favorable decision of the commission will be of particular interest to every person in this section of the state and friends of Mr. Antoni, who has been in the trucking business here for many years will welcome the news of his success in this larger undertaking.

Antoni Truck Lines began business in a modest way about 15 years ago and has had the usual run of luck that comes to new undertakings until he was firmly established, since when the increase in the volume of business handled has had a continuous healthy growth.

Attorneys for the truck lines during all the hearings were Senator Burt Busch of Lakeport, District Attorney James E. Busch of Ukiah and Attorney Malcolm C. George of San Francisco.

Three Are Injured In Two Accidents

Robert Cox of Cummings and his 4-year-old son Dennis received minor injuries when the car driven by the father went off the grade one-half mile north of the Cedar Creek bridge last week while he was cleaning the windshield. Patrolman Ingram reported the accident.

Patrolman Hamilton of Willits reports a collision approximately a mile and a half south of Laytonville on the Redwood highway between the cars driven by John Phillips of Oakland, going south, and Frances Shaffer of Dufur, Oregon, going north, in which John Blewett of Seattle, riding in the Shaffer car, received minor injuries.

Both cars were found at fault, being too near the center line.

ElksElectNew 1948 Officers

E. M. Jennings As Exalted Ruler Replaces A. C. Alger

New officials of Ukiah Elks Lodge will take office at formal installation rites on April 5, following their election last Monday night. E. M. Jennings was chosen exalted ruler to succeed Arthur Alger.

Installation will be conducted by past exalted rulers under the leadership of Fred Hinds of San Rafael. This lodge sponsored the Ukiah Elks club which was organized nine months ago. Hinds is vice president of the state Elks association and will serve as grand exalted ruler for the installation.

Other incoming officers and the outgoing officials they replace are: Ray Williams, leading knight replacing Walter Sandelin; John Viarengo, loyal knight for E. M. Jennings; Reno Bartolomie, lecturing knight for Ray Williams; S. E. Mitchell, secretary, will continue in office; George Butt replaces Victor Moore as treasurer; Walter Eversole replaces Karl Davis as esquire; Harry Roberts remains in office as trustee and James Sacchi takes over as tiler in the place of Fred Montgomery.

Among appointments to be made by the new board will be that of chaplain; now filled by O. A. Lang, and inside guard, a post now held by Dr. Harold Cain.

Elks Lodge members of Ukiah who attended a meeting of the Alameda Lodge recently were A. C. Alger, Ray Williams, Ed Jennings and H. H. Tuttle. The occasion was the official visit of the national exalted ruler to the Alameda Lodge, L. A. Lewis, who addressed the meeting.

Kentfield Attorney Files For Congress

The first Democrat announced his candidacy Monday for the First Congressional District seat long held by Representative Clarence F. Lea.

He is Roger Kent, 41, Kentfield attorney and World War II navy veteran. He will file on both the Democratic and Republican tickets.

DIES IN HEART ATTACK

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Kelly, 520 South State street, were called to San Francisco yesterday by the sudden death, early Sunday morning, of Mrs. Kelly's son Wesley Michaels who suffered a heart attack. Besides his mother he is survived by his wife, Mrs. Emily Michaels. He was an employe of the P.G.&E. in San Francisco.

C. B. Hopkins expects to return to Ukiah next week after spending the winter in Claremont with his son, Dr. C. Howard Hopkins.

Boy Burglars At Mendocino

Mendosa's General Store Entered Sunday And Robbed

Ernie Anderson, 15, and Richard Imholte, 17, both of Oakland, are in custody and awaiting disposition for burglarizing the Mendosa General Store at Mendocino last Sunday night. They are said to be wards of the Alameda County Juvenile Court and had been around Mendocino a few days before the burglary.

The boys took the hard way to get into the store, using a brace and bit to bore holes in a door on the south side of the building so they could remove a section of the panel large enough to admit them.

The loot from the robbery included $50 in money, 30 cartons of cigarettes and a quantity of bologna, according to Deputy Sheriff Ward Reis' report to Sheriff Broaddus. Reis went to Mendocino to investigate the matter and arrested the boys while they were waiting for a bus. They had spent the night on the beach.

Sheriff Broaddus went to Boonville and took over the prisoners from Deputy Reis, who had set a new speed record by getting his "men" within the hour of his arrival in Mendocino.

Special Meeting Set By P.T.A. On Issues

There will be a called meeting of the Elementary P.T.A. on Wednesday evening, March 31, at the school auditorium. Forrest Hughes and Harry Falk will present the three issues to be voted on April 13th and there will be a general discussion of them all. The meeting will start at 8 o'clock.

P.T.A. members are especially interested in the question of sale of the ball park.

EASTER

One by one they go to church today,
Dressed in their Easter hats and finery,
Like bright Spring flowers . . blithe of heart and gay . .
Or dressed in winter clothes . . or shabbily.

They file into the churches . . big and small,
The scent of Spring's first flowers fill the air,
Great banks of green . . and Easter lilies tall
That form white crosses . . calling us to prayer.

This stone cathedral on a city street
Great stainedglass windows . . lofty organ strains,
This humble little church, where people meet
And see the sunlight streaming through the panes.

This shingled church, where colored people pray,
This one of brick, beneath magnolia trees,
This rough plank cabin, with its boards of grey,
A circuit rider . . Bible on his knee.

This lone man standing . . high upon a hill . .
Wind through the bushes . . light upon his face . .
A wheelchair . . rolled beside a window sill . .
Where flower scents ... waft up their words of grade.

And all the people over all the land . .
Oh, may they pause, no matter in what room . .
No matter where they are . . to understand . .
The joyous drama of the empty tomb.

To know that Spring commemorates anew,
With fresh young grass . . with every budding seed . .
That nothing ever dies . . . that God is true . . .
And Christ is here . . the Risen Lord indeed.

—CHARMIAN WARD.

20-30 Funds Drive Ends Saturday Eve

Ukiah's Twenty-Thirty Club winds up its current drive for funds for the club's hospitalization plan Saturday night with a dance at the Mendocino State Hospital auditorium, which is admission free.

The club's plan would provide emergency short-term hospitalization for citizens of the community who cannot provide it for themselves.

The effort has fallen far short of its goal and unless there is a generous "outpouring" during the next two days the boys are going to just about break even on their undertaking, or likely be in the red after Saturday night's dance.

The hospitalization plan was an ambitious undertaking, and as worthy as it was ambitious, and the lack of interest was the last thing the members had reason to expect. At the price of one dollar ($1) anyone can become a party to a very worthwhile project.

Richardson Says 'Glad To Serve'

Russell Richardson, a candidate for the city council, says of his bid for a seat at the council table, that if elected he will give the job the best service that it is possible for him to give.

"All I have is invested here in Ukiah—my business, my home and other interests," he said, "and if I can help in the administration of the city's affairs I will be glad to serve to the best of my ability."

Richardson is a native of California and a resident of Mendocino county since 1927. He has been in business in Uikah since March 17, 1939. He owns his home and business and has two children, ages 9 and 15. He says, "If elected I will be just one man on the board of five and I have no illusions of what I can do alone. It will be my purpose to go along with the other members in what I believe will be for the best interests of the city, present and future.

LIONS READY FOR EASTER EGG HUNT

Annual Classic For All Local Youngsters At City Park

The Easter Egg Hunt which is sponsored annually by the Ukiah Lions Club will be held Sunday afternoon with the parade starting at 1:30 from the Ukiah golf course and marching to the municipal park.

The Lions Easter egg hunt is open to all kiddies of the four age groups in Ukiah and the surrounding country and parents are asked to bring their children and let them take part in the fun. The afternoon hour is chosen to allow everyone to attend Easter services.

The order of the march will begin with children of 1 to 4 years, in charge of Dr. J. B. Massengill, chairman, and Louis Loosley, W. K. Davis, Ed Jennings, Ed Eversole and C. A. Lindbergh.

Group 5 to 8 years with Dave Spencer, captain; Pete Frey, Al Antoni, Dom Crinella, Leonard Nix and Dr. E. C. Bennett as the committee.

Group 9 to 12 years, Ed Salyer, captain; Ben Foster, Tom Poulos, Joe Barringer, Al Anton, John Frassinello and Herman Runkel.

Group 13 years and up, Lee White, captain; George Eckman, Ed Cadd, George Butts, Elmer Presson and James Busch.

The hunt will begin at the crack of the starting gun.

The prizes will be 50 cents for the gold eggs, four prizes to each group; 25 cents for the silver eggs, six prizes to each group; 10 cents each to whoever finds and returns with six eggs, limited to the first 20 in each group. Six rabbits will be given as prizes to finders of prize eggs.

Races will follow the egg hunt in which cash prizes will be paid for the following: Sack races, egg and spoon races, 3-legged races, mother and child races, foot races for men, boys and girls.

The committee on prizes includes Les Larson, chairman; Don Nassie, Percy Ornbaun, Chap Williams, Tom Brumback, Vic Jones.

Carl Daubeneck and Art Schilder will work with Harold Zimmerman as master of ceremonies in charge of public address system.

Lost and found kiddies department will be in charge of Chief of Police John Viarengo.

Miss Addie Brooks To Open New Business

Ladies ready to wear and alterations to order will be featured in the shop being opened in the Eversole apartments by Miss Addie Brooks. Miss Brooks came to Ukiah from San Francisco where she has been engaged in similar business.

She is making her home, temporarily, with her brother's family, the Wiley Brooks, 763 South State street, and will move int oher new quarters, apartment 202, where she will operate her business to be known as Brooks Alteration Shop

First District Legionnaires Aerial Roundup of Membership In April

If you see strange planes cutting over the hog back up the arroyo April 17-18, don't report any flying sauce pans—it's the Legionnaires flying low to pick up their membership cards in the Aerial Roundup which will climax their 1948 membership drive.

Locally, when you see the whites of the pilot's eyes, it will be Post Commander Ben Branscomb of Laytonville Post 676, rounding up the 360 signed membership cards for which A. C. (Tiny) Ryan, first vice president of District 1, has sent out a plea this week. He has a little bet with Raymond H. Stenback of Fortuna, he said, that there will be more cards from Ukiah than from Fortuna.

Branscomb had some difficulty with his plane last week when someone leaned it against a tree, but it will be in flying order for the roundup and when the cards are all in, Branscomb and his pilot will rush them to Bakersfield where the Kern County Pilots' association, in charge of gathering in the cards, will rendezvous.

A party with dancing and entertainment will reward the workers who help to bring in a full roster of new members from District No. 1, Ryan said.

His instructions, sent out this week, request that all membership cards be held up until April 15, then mailed that day to Stenback in Fortuna by those in the northern areas of the district, or to Ryan at Talmage, by those in the south half of the district.

State Theatre Dark On Injunction Order

The preliminary injunction order issued last week was served on the State Theatre management Saturday morning and the show house is now closed indefinitely.

The order was made by Superior Judge Lilburn Gibson and held in abeyance on the promise of the attorney representing Trinity Theatres, Inc., that the show house would close and remain closed until repairs could be made to remove the danger of the building collapsing. Such repairs were to be made and inspected and approved by Gus Wallach, city engineer, before the show was again opened.

Friday, while workmen were busy reinforcing the south wall, an employe was engaged in setting up the marquee for a Friday night show, after the house had been closed two nights. Friday night's show was given and the injunction order was served by Deputy Sheriff Ike Ransdell Saturday morning.

So far as has been learned, the disregard of the gentlemen's agreement was more in the manner of a test—to see what would happen . . . and it did, and the repair crew turned their attention to undoing what had been done and to tearing down a portion of the south wall that was one part of the building that has been condemned.

At the hearing on the petition for the injunction, Attorney James McInnis appeared for the Trinity Theatres and admitted to Judge Gibson that the building was unsafe and liable to collapse in case of a severe shock. On the strength of such evidence the court issued the order, then accepted the attorney's own suggestion that the show house would close and remain closed until repaired and approved by City Engineer Wallach.

Action for an injunction was begun some months ago by the city and with the consent of a representative of the Trintiy corporation. It was, in fact, an effort of the theatre people to create a situation which they could use as a talking point in their request for priority for building material for a new theatre building in Ukiah, and in which the city went along. The State Theatre building has been condemned many years.

MUIRS OF WILLITS MENACED BY CRASH

Two Members of Family Receive Minor Injuries

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Muir and daughter Patricia of Willits were treated for minor injuries at the General hospital Tuesday evening after their car was involved in a collision with the car driven by Wilbert R. Myers of Talmage on the highway near the Cypress Auto Court.

The Muir family were coming into Ukiah from the south at 6:15 and according to the statement made by Mr. Muir to the investigating officers he saw Myers' car coming out of the driveway at the auto court, about 100 to 150 feet distant, forcing Mr. Muir into the second lane. Mr. Muir said, "He kept coming and I couldn't go around him, so I set my brakes and hit him broadside." Muir said he was driving at about 30 miles per hour.

Myers was still behind the wheel when Muir got out and asked him what he was trying to do. Myers accused Muir of causing the collision and Patricia Muir said Myers threatened to punch her father's nose.

Myers was arrested and examined by Dr. J. B. Massengill and pronounced too intoxicated to drive an automobile with safety. At the county jail he said he was going north and that all he knew was that "a car ran out and whammed me."

A guest at the auto court said he saw Myers' car circle the cabins on the north side of the court and go out the north driveway and turn toward the south before he was hit.

In police court Wednesday morning Judge Pauli fined Myers $260 who agreed to pay the hospital charges for services to Mr. and Mrs. Muir and for the damage to their automobile.

Chief of Police Viarengo and Officer Moore investigated the accident.

Electricians To Start Union Here

Electricians from Willits, Fort Bragg and Lakeport met at Willits on Friday night of last week and made application to the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers for a charter.

The application, it is understood, is made on a 2-county basis and will include electricians in Lake and Mendocino counties, and if the charter is granted the headquarters will be set up in Ukiah. With locals already established in Ukiah for the carpenters, painters and laborers, the establishment of electricians and plumbers unions would complete a building trades union here, it is said.

A spokesman for the steamfitters union is quoted as saying that steps are being taken to organize the plumbers on the same 2-county basis.

INDIAN SIGNUP OFFICE

A signup depot has been established in Willits at the offices of Lyon & Porterfield, attorneys, where Indians may notarize their signatures to press their 30-year-old action against the government for money claimed due.

Mrs. Ben Archer of Talmage has moved to Ukiah where she purchased a home at 891 Live Oak street. Mr. Archer passed away last February.

UKIAH GETS R.E.A. MEETING

The Redwood Empire Association's semi-annual convention will be held in Ukiah on Friday, May 21, it was decided at Napa, where members of the executive board met on Friday of last week.

Way Will Run For Assembly

A. W. Way of Eureka has announced his candidacy for assemblyman from the First district—Del Norte, Humboldt and Mendocino counties—to succeed Assemblyman M. A. Burns, who is a candidate for state senator from Humboldt.

In his statement Mr. Way says: "I feel that the state government should begin cutting down he tax burden which state officials have put upon the taxpayers. Little or no regard has been given as to how much the taxpayer can afford. If elected I shall do all within my power to stop, and reduce these wasteful expenditures of state finances, reduce extravagant bureaus, created by our state officials, and stop enactment of laws which make increase of taxes mandatory."

Mr. Way points to his record of public service and background of experience in civic aairs and business, as well as 20 years in the practice of law as the background to justify his election to the assembly. He says, "If elected to the assembly I will keep a watchful eye on all legislation, that the right and proper laws are enacted."

MOVE INTO NEW HOME

Mr .and Mrs. Robert Sandelin are established in their new home north of Ukiah on the Redwood highway. The young couple came to Ukiah last year where he is associated with his father, Walter Sandelin in the management of the Palace hotel, and they have been making their home there while their new home was under construction.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Sten who left Ukiah the first of the year to make their home in Healdsburg, entertained at dinner Sunday for a group of friends from Ukiah. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Wildberger, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schilder, Mrs. Hilda Mannon and Mrs. Nell Cox.

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REDWOOD VALLEY, March 24.—Easter sunrise services will be held at Denny's auto park at 7:30, if it is not raining, and Rev. Leonard Brown will take charge. Easter services were held last year at Denny's and were thoroughly enjoyed. There was a large attendance then and it is hoped it will be just as successful this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peebles and son Bob of Santa Rosa were visitors at the Bednar home Friday. The Peebles are close friends of the Bednar family and on hearing of the passing of John Bednar came up to extend their sympathy. Mrs. Peebles operates a convalescent hospital in Santa Rosa that can accommodate 10 patients, and there is now a waiting list. They returned to Santa Rosa Friday evening, but Mr. Peebles and Bob came up for Mr. Bednar's funeral Sunday.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Terry who lived two years in Homewood Park at Laughlin will be interested to hear a son was born to them on March 18, weighing 8 pounds and 12 ounces, and has been named Clyde Lynn. The Terrys are living at Forbestown, near Oroville where Terry operates a mill.

The C.S.S.A. was entertained at the clubhouse Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Joe Simmons and Mrs. Kirk Ford. A potluck luncheon is being planned for the next meeting, which will be on April 1.

Chester and Jimmy Tigard of Walnut Creek are spending their Easter vacation with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ledford. Caroles Furber, who is attending an aeronautics school in Oakland, spent the weekend with his father, C. Furber, who came down from Garberville to meet his son.

The Redwood Valley Sunday school is planning an Easter program with Donna Brown in charge.

The gradual increase of rain brings the total up on March 21 to 19.98 inches.

Christian Young Folks Go Skating at Willits

The Young People's Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian church sponsored a skating party Friday night at the rink in Willits. About 40 persons met at the church and went to Willits in a caravan.

Margie Vinson was chairman of the committee in charge of the party, with Daniel Hill of Lakeport cooperating. An invitation was extended to the Lakeport Young People to join the party, as well as an invitation to the Young Married Class of the Ukiah Christian church, and friends. Joyce Enzler and Bonnie Vinson were other members of the committee.

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COVELO NEWS

COVELO, March 20 — Mrs. Graydon Finfrock of Oakland visited relatives and friends in Covelo last week.

Ben Garrans of the United States army, who has been stationed at Guam, is enjoying a furlough with relatives and friends in Covelo and elsewhere. He expects to be discharged this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe G. Hotchkiss of Lake mountain were business visitors in Covelo last week.

Donald McClellan Rites

The ashes of Donald Hugh McClelland, veteran of World War II, were buried here March 12, in the grave of Varley Bundy, his uncle, and a veteran of World War I. Bundy was killed in a truck accident near Kelley Canyon in 1920.

Donald McClelland, born in Round valley, and nephew of Varley Bundy, having returned from World War II, was killed in a truck accident near Willits on October 2, 1947. He was 26 years old at the time.

His bride of 17 days was also killed. A double funeral was held in Willits, but the mother and grandmother of the young man wished his ashes to rest in the Covelo Veterans' Cemetery.

John Albonico, commander of Martin Haydon Post, American Legion, and Judge William Clarke, acting chaplain, read the veterans committal service at the graveside.

Many people here remember the Bundy, MacDonald and McClelland families who lived here about thirty years ago.

Mrs. Ernest B. DeFord left last Friday for San Francisco to visit her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Heywood. Mrs. DeFord will visit her brother and family and friends in Galt before returning to Covelo.

The Women's Club convention will be held in Covelo on February 3. The Mutual Aid Society will serve dinner for this occasion.

Mrs. Emily Beavers and Oliver Stockton were Eureka visitors in Willits last week.

Stanley Hart and Pat Fisher were visitors in Eureka last week.

The Mutual Aid is planning an Easter egg hunt for the children on Saturday, March 27.

Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Carey spent several days with relatives in Gridley last week.

A very enjoyable social event occurred March 13 when a number of her girl friends gave Vivian Short a wedding shower as that young lady will be married soon. The shower was arranged almost overnight.

A group of ladies met at the social hall with Miss Short and her friends and a short program of readings and music was enjoyed. It seemed to be the day for a shower as the skies were also showering and many could not attend for that reason. Presents were sent however, and there were many things to gladden the young homemaker's heart, so it was easy to remember that the **clouds had a silver lining**, as always. Miss Short thanked all for the kind gesture and after partaking of the refreshments, all repaired to their homes.

Easter Vacation

Easter vacation is here and schools are closed. The teachers have hied them away for visits with relatives and friends and a period of relaxation, and, of course, the children are happy.

The churches are planning to get together for a special observance of Good Friday from 1 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Music appropriate to the occasion is being prepared and everything is being done to bring the significance of the day to the public, with all it means to peoples of all nations. Special music is being prepared for Easter.

Friends will be interested to learn that Mr. and Mrs. John Darrah have sold their home in Ukiah and have purchased another in San Francisco, where Mr. Darrah is employed grading lumber.

Mrs. Sarah Ells of Willits is visiting friends in Covelo this week.

A most interesting and pleasing missionary meeting was held by the Covelo ladies at the home of Mrs. Fannie English Thursday afternoon, March 18. Mrs. English was chairman. Her subject was Calvary and she was very ably assisted by Mesdames Velma Carey, Olive Alford and Mildred Charles, whose readings and explanations made the significance of Calvary very clear to all.

Songs were sung, prayer said by Mrs. Carey, Mrs. Alford and Mrs. Charles, and poems were read by the same ladies. A vocal trio, Calvary, was sung by Mesdames Olive Alford, Beatrice Lovell and Bertha Haydon. Refreshments were hot rolls and butter, "bacon and egg" salad, coffee and tea. Each lady was presented with a tiny corsage of violets. It was a most delightful afternoon made more so by the presence of our dear friends, Mrs. Amy Redwine and Mrs. Sarah Ells. We are much indebted to Mrs. Fannie English and her helpers, Mrs. Ed Long, Mrs. Lou English and Mrs. Grace Long, for the pleasure we had.

March 1 a 4-H meeting was held at the high school and Billy Rome, a new member, was taken in. His project is rabbits. All members were present. They have started planning for the summer vacation.

Benjamin Franklin and sister, Miss Peggy Franklin of San Francisco visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Franklin, here over the last weekend.

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The body of 4-year-old Teddy Thompson was found Monday afternoon about a mile and a half from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson of Covelo, from where he disappeared on the afternoon of January 29. The discovery was made by Arthur Carpenter, a Round valley ranchman, when one of his dogs found the body beneath a manzanita bush, his head resting on one arm as if asleep. It is believed that the child had walked until exhausted before lying down and that he froze to death the first night spent in the wilds.

The state finance department has completed negotiations with the directors of the Twelfth District Agricultural Association for the purchase of the fair grounds north of Ukiah, where the District fair was held for the first time last August. Hereafter the fairs will be under the control of the department of finance with the board of directors appointed by the governor.

Paul Hoffman of Covelo has been appointed mail carrier from Dos Rios to Covelo and from Covelo to Summit valley.

The Ukiah Citizens' Council has been formed with the purpose of striving for continued peace and prosperity of the people of the county.

The Calpella church is making plans to build a parsonage.

Mrs. Robert O'Day of Hopland was brought to the Ukiah General Hospital Monday for a minor operation on her leg.

Twins were born March 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Seward of Willits—a boy and a girl, each weighing six pounds and five ounces.

The remarkable production record of the El Canon Guernsey Dairy herd of Ukiah has placed it second to the Mendocino State Hospital during 1937 with a herd average of 431.1 pounds of butter fat per cow. The herd is owned and operated by Mrs. N. S. Ryder and her daughter Betty and now numbers 22 head.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
March 31, 1928

Barbara Frances Reed, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed of Leggett valley, was killed on the morning of March 29 when a tree which her father had felled struck the porch of the cabin where the family was living and where the child was playing. It took the father half an hour to cut away enough of the tree to get her out.

The Ukiah high school band will give a concert the afternoon of April 6 in honor of the California Agricultural Train, which is due to arrive here at 2 o'clock.

The total rainfall at Willits at this date is 41.89 inches, with 8.20 inches falling during the last storm.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Deutscher of Potter Valley left this week to make their home on a ranch near Lakeport.

To assure the completion of the Noyo river dredging project, which has been temporarily dropped by the government, Fort Bragg business men have undertaken to raise $3000.

A warrant was sworn out Monday against Raymond Thompson of Hopland charging him with selling liquor to the Indians. The warrant followed a row among the Hopland Indians Sunday night when half a dozen of them mixed in a brawl which sent James Mirando to the hospital with knife wounds in his shoulder. Richard Billy is said to have wielded the knife.

Cards have been received from Naples written by Dr. and Mrs. R. O. Le Baron who left here about the middle of December on a world tour. Dr. Le Baron will continue his studies at an European university.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dennen have purchased the Hofman home on Dora street. They have been living in Point Arena and suffered a heavy loss there in a fire of seven months ago.

A. Basio of Spyrock received medical attention, Saturday at the Howard hospital at Willits for a severe wound in his leg caused when a branch of a tree fell across the crosscut saw with which he was working.

THIRTY YEARS AGO
March 29, 1918

A real estate deal of considerable magnitude was completed at Hopland last week when Charles Crawford bought the 3200-acre sheep range belonging to E. J. and Will Duncan, with 1000 head of sheep. The purchase price is said to have been $40,000.

Miss Cylde Ball of Point Arena and Sydney Barker of Gualala were married yesterday in Ukaih. The young couple are highly popular on the coast.

Through District Attorney McCowen, Mendocino county has filed a suit to condemn a right-of-way for the state highway through the Ayers estate at Willits. The matter is opposed by E. M. Whitney, executor of the estate.

County Superintendent of Schools Porterfield announces that all the schools will be governed by the new regulations for daylight saving time, which go into effect next Sunday morning. The idea is novel and is not meeting with favor.

The body of Alex Fowler was found this morning in the cowshed at the county farm with a revolver lying at his side, indicating suicide. Discovery of the body was made by Grover Neep.

Word from Lakeport is to the effect that the last obstacle to the construction of the long-mooted Hopland to Lakeport railroad has been overcome and work will be started April 1 and is expected to be completed in time to take out the county's harvest this fall.

The Federal Bank at Berkeley has accepted 10 applications from Willits for farm loans of the Little Lake Loan Association, totaling $39,000.

A benefit dance given at Boonville on March 25 for the Y.M.C.A. netted $101. Ukiah, Yorkville, Ornbaun, Philo and Navarro were represented at the dance.

Charles Hobbs of Cloverdale and Miss Lois J. Adcock, formerly of Ukiah, were married Saturday at the home of the groom's parents in Cloverdale.

Edward G. Brown of Willits has announced that he will be a candidate for the office of sheriff at the coming primary.

Grover McGimsey of Ukiah will go to Boonville this week where he will hold a sale of the remainder of the Charles Mathison merchandise of the Wendell store.

FORTY YEARS AGO
April 3, 1908

The current from the Snow Mountain Water & Power Company reached Ukiah on April 1, after two years of labor and the expenditure of nearly $2,000,000. It is the intention of the company to begin construction of its lines into the bay area and to begin work on the new dam in Gravelly valley.

John L. Orr has sold a half interest in the famous Orr Hot Springs property to A. P. Weger. The new management intends to enlarge and remodel the buildings, the bathing facilities will be made modern in every respect and facilities for games and outdoor sports are to be installed.

Fearing possible objections by their parents to their marriage, Will Ovell and Lucy Thompson of Covelo decided to take matters into their own hands and seek the joys and bliss of wedded life without the permit or consent of anyone. Last Sunday night all was quiet in their homes, but the fire of love burned brightly within the breasts of the plighted pair. Came the dawn and the couple was some 50 miles away. All went well until they reached the stream near Eden valley when in fording it the tongue was broken from their buggy. Nothing remained but to mount the horse and ride to the next place, where a buggy was secured and the journey to Ukiah was resumed. The first train going south was boarded for Santa Rosa where a license was secured and the couple found an accommodating minister.

Gay Gibson has decided to erect a modern brick building at the corner of State and Henry streets and workmen are now engaged in tearing down the old wooden structure that for many years has been used as a laundry.

A large party of citizens of Willits went to the site of the original Little Lake, four miles south of Willits, Sunday and viewed the site for the proposed dam, 250 feet long and 25 feet high, which will form a lake of about 20 acres.

W. G. Poage is home from two weeks at Monroe, where as referee appointed by the superior court, he sold the personal property of the United Lumber Company to the Monroe Lumber Company for $21,000. The real estate of the United company will be sold at private sale in Ukiah.

FIFTY YEARS AGO
April 1, 1898

John Dale has leased the Eden valley ranch and is stocking it with cattle from southern California.

The Bank of Ukiah has succeeded in renting nearly all of the range land at their disposal, to southern California stock owners, who were looking for grass range for their stock.

Thomas Johnson of Willits passed through Ukiah Tuesday enroute to San Francisco from which point he drove to Vancouver, B.C., where he will outfit for the gold fields of the frozen north.

Louis Van Nader and an unknown man were killed Wednesdoay morning in the Gualala Lumber Company camps at Gualala when a tree fell without warning. Van Nader was struck across the neck and shoulders and killed instantly. A company of men were at work building a road through the swamps for the lumber company and the fire that had been set to burn away the underbrush set fire to the trunk of a pine tree. It was this tree that caused the death of the two men.

The school at West Port opened March 28 with Miss Hall as principal and Miss Price as assistant.

J. G. Thomas and Miss Elma Williams were married on March 28 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Williams of Ukiah, with Dr. Hanan officiating, in the presence of about 60 guests.

A drove of about 80 cattle passed through Ukiah this morning enroute to Round valley. They were bought in the Healdsburg section by Joe Kelting, the Ukiah stock man.

Edward M. Barron and Miss Lulu B. McKinley of Willits were married last week by Rev. Pulley.

Miss Donna Horn of Santa Rosa has taken charge of Mrs. Messner's millinery store in Ukiah.

Mrs. J. C. Morris of the ladies of the Maccabees is in Ukiah, organizing a hive of I.O.T.M. She will hold a meeting in Odd Fellows' hall Saturday afternoon.

50th Wedding Anniversary Observed By James Fords In Gala Celebration

By Frankie Buck

Mr. and Mrs. James Ford celebrated their golden wedding anniversary March 6, with a reception at Farm Bureau hall in Willits, which was attended by a large group of their friends and relatives.

During the evening a mock ceremony was held with the wedding march played by Mrs. Blanche Shelton. Mr. and Mrs. Ford entered the room in much the same fashion as they had on that memorable day, March 6, 1898, when they were married in Ukiah.

It was recalled that Mr. and Mrs. Ford spent their honeymoon in Napa and went from there to Willits, where they have lived ever since.

Jay Corner of Ukiah was there with his camera and obtained several pictures of the Fords cutting their three-tier wedding cake, which was featured on a table laden with tasty viands.

Gifts Presented

There were many beautiful gifts for this happy golden wedding couple.

They have 11 children and 19 grandchildren, all living.

Children and grandchildren are Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Ford and family, Kenneth, Delmon and Garry of Willits; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caveza and son, Leland, of Petaluma; Mrs. Neil Divine and daughter, Janet of Chico; Vernon Ford of Weott; Mr. and Mrs. L. McCullouch and family, James, Barbara, Bobbie, David and Larry of Ukiah.

All in California

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ford and daughter, Lena of Sacramento; Mr. and Mrs. Ival Ford and daughter, Kathleen of Vallejo; Mr. and Mrs. Almar McKinley and sons, Roger and Steven of Willits; Lester Ford of Willits; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ford of Willits; Mr. and Mrs. Leland Quinliven and sons, Ival, Melvin and Pat of Willits.

Sisters and brothers of Mrs. Ford were also there including Lulu Bolton of San Francisco; Ethel Begley of San Francisco, Viola Davis and John Dickey of Willits.

Other Guests Present

Other relatives and friends who joined in the delightful party were Veva Davis and son, Lloyd, Mrs. Edith Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ford, Mrs. Hinton and sons, Billy and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shelton, Fred Bahn, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lopez and David and Ruth, Thelma Sawyers and Mervyn Sawyers, Mamie Mitchell, all of Willits; Barbara Rawles of Redwood Valley; Connie Jones and Jay N. Corner of Ukiah; Dora Schultz and Blanche Tenny of San Francisco.

Unable to attend but sending gifts were Mrs. Nelile Trotsky of Willits and Mrs. Elizabeth Carl of San Francisco.

HERE FROM HEALDSBURG

Mrs. Clark Martin of Healdsburg spent Wednesday to Friday here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Salls, 936 West Standley street. Mrs. Martin (the former Lillian Salls) and her husband are now operating the Ink Ball in Healdsburg.

Abell Lodge Past Master's Night

Friday, March 19, was Past Masters' Night at Abell Lodge No. 146, with the degree team of past masters conferring the third degree. From left to right, back row, are Lilburn Gibson, Henry Spurr, E. G. Spjuth. Center row, Irving Brazier, Lloyd Bittenbender, F. W. Sandelin, W. H. Brunner, G. V. Wallach, G. P. Anderson, B. C. Willford, C. B. Heryford. Front row, seated, R. L. Harmon, G. W. Bartlett, E. M. Hopper.

ABELL OBSERVES ANNUAL DINNER

Last Friday night was traditional Past Masters night in Abell Lodge and one of the outstanding meetings of the year with Ukiah lodge playing hosts to all the lodges of this area. There was a large attendance to witness Past Masters conferring the third degree on Sam Ray, Jr.

Officers of the lodge who stepped down for the evening, assumed their roles as cooks and served the 6:30 dinner as is customary at this annual tribute to their past leaders. Frank Branson was senior steward in charge of the dinner and received high praise for his cuisine.

William Bromley, past master was in charge of arrangements for the program and had participating past masters letter perfect after their dress rehearsal last Wednesday night. Those who took part in the work of conferring the third degree were Messrs. C. M. Mannon, F. E. Anker, Wm. Bromley, G. P. Anderson, H. McCowen, N. M. Anker, F. T. Barker, R. O. Foster, E. C. Caffery, J. R. Elder, I. M. Brazier, E. G. Spjuth, L. I. Gibson, E. M. Hopper, E. W. Dutton, C. B. Heryford, H. C. Spurr, R. M. Luce, N. G. Buhn, R. D. Ford, W. H. Brunner, R. L. Harmon, F. W. Sandelin, G. V. Wallach, M. D. Perkins, E. W. Orr, W. J. Mellis, G. W. Bartlett, W. N. Smith; and members of Abell Lodge who were past masters of their lodges before demitting were L. Bittenbender, B. C. Willford, A. L. Harris and W. S. Van Dyke.

Some forty visitors represented lodges in Cloverdale, Willits, Lakeport and Covelo, according to Verne E. Boulware, Worshipful Master.

Announcement was made by Thomas Franklin, head coach of the lodge, that on the second Wednesday of each month a coaching school will be held in the club room for all coaches and candidates.

James Lindsey, chairman of the social committee stated that his committee is planning a combination dance and card party in the temple for the night of April 3rd, to which all Masons and their guests have been invited. Tickets will be available during the rest of the month of March.

Black Jack Game Found At Andy's

The swank night spot known as Andy's, a mile south of Wililts, was visited by Deputy Sheriffs Bartolomie and Ransdell at 12:45 Sunday morning and they came away with a black jack table, a complete assortment of chips, cards and all the money in sight when they arrived.

The table was set up in the barroom and was doing a thriving business when the officers arrived, with a capacity crowd filling the room.

Andy's is operated by Les Goble, and L. D. Miner was the dealer at the black jack table. Miner was brought to the county jail and bailed out at 2 o'clock by Goble, who furnished the $250 cash bond required.

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Teen-Agers Rob Rancho

Burglary charges are being prepared for filing against the two 13-year-old Guerneville boys who broke into Jeff's Rancho on the south highway on the night of March 10.

The youngsters, both wards of the Sonoma County Juvenile court, set out to see the world and got as far as Jeff's place late at night where they took a hasp off a door and went in. Their loot included a quantity of candy and all the money they could find. Authorities recovered about $30.

They were going toward Santa Rosa when spotted between Ukiah and Cloverdale by Police Officers Jess Hill and Rex McCord of Vallejo, who were called to Ukiah as witnesses in the Pollard murder trial. The officers reported the boys to Sheriff Broaddus and Santa Rosa authorities took them in charge the next day. Deputy Sheriff Bartolomie brought them to Ukiah and later they were released to their parents.

GRANGE PROGRAM PLANNED

The program arranged for the Grange meeting Friday night, March 26, will precede the business meeting, it was announced today. Mrs. Maureen Eddy is in charge of the entertainment. Guest speaker will be Mrs. M. Peters, associated with the 12th District Fair association.

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Two Car Crashes During Weekend

Two auto acidents during the weekend were of minor importance and injured one person painfully, but not seriously.

John E. Phillips of 514 South School street hit the curb and crashed into a telephone pole as he attempted a left hand turn at Pine and Grove streets and suffered face and head injuries. He was taken to the Ukiah General Hospital in the city ambulance and released Sunday morning. Sergeant Griffis of the police department investigated the accident.

A car reportedly driven by William D. Robinson of Calpella wrecked the west railing of the bridge over Hensley creek north of Ukiah Sunday morning when the right front wheel hit squarely the concrete curb. A 20-foot section of the railing was torn out and two sections of the pipe thrown 20 feet upstream. The car crossed the bridge, left the road and came to a stop against the bank.

IT PAYS TO TRADE IN UKIAH

Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. James Ford who were married in Ukiah 50 years ago, re-enacted the ceremony when they celebrated their golden wedding in Willits on March 6. Gifts and a 3-tier wedding cake featured the festive occasion, with a large group of friends and relatives present.

Bridge Party Series Concluded Saturday

A series of bridge parties, at which some fifty guests were entertained during March, ended Saturday when Mrs. Charlotte M. Collins and Mrs. Jessie Brunner, of 101 South Hortense street gave the final party of the five which began March 3.

At each event guests were received in Mrs. Brunner's apartment where refreshments were served amid decorations of spring blossoms. Cards were played in the apartment of Mrs. Collins upstairs.

Winners on March 3 were Mrs. E. James and Mrs. Robert LeBaren; March 10, Miss Yvonne Hebert and Mrs. Ethel Sewell; March 12, Mrs. Charles Myzska, Mrs. Joseph Weber; March 19, Mrs. Theo Ford and Mrs. William Wadsworth; March 20, Mrs. Margaret Burns and Mrs. Ray Walsh.

Reception Honors Concert Directors

Officers and directors of Community Concert association were honored at a reception following the Anderson-Field concert last Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schilder on West Perkins street. The party, at which Miss Anderson and Mr. Fields were introduced by Arthur Harris, president of the association, was an informal, no-host event.

Mrs. Stanley Lance and Mrs. Harley Branson poured for the buffet supper which was spread in the dining room of the Schilder home in a setting of spring flowers and lighted tapers. Daffodils and hyacinths with peach blossom decorated the living room, where some 50 guests met the artists and exchanged comments on the splendid performance which preceded the reception.

Robert and Claudine Fox were licensed last week by the California Division of Housing to operate the Cedar Crest Auto Court, five miles west of Cummings.

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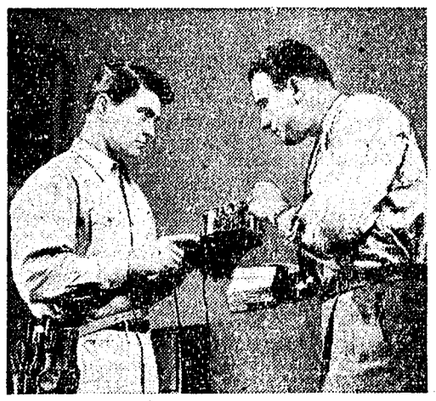

2. If you became an installer you'd start, most likely, in a training school. With pay, of course...$37 or $38 a week. Then regular increases for eight years after you got on the job. You'd be given other training, too...to help you learn your way up the ladder. Most all the top men in the company came up that way.

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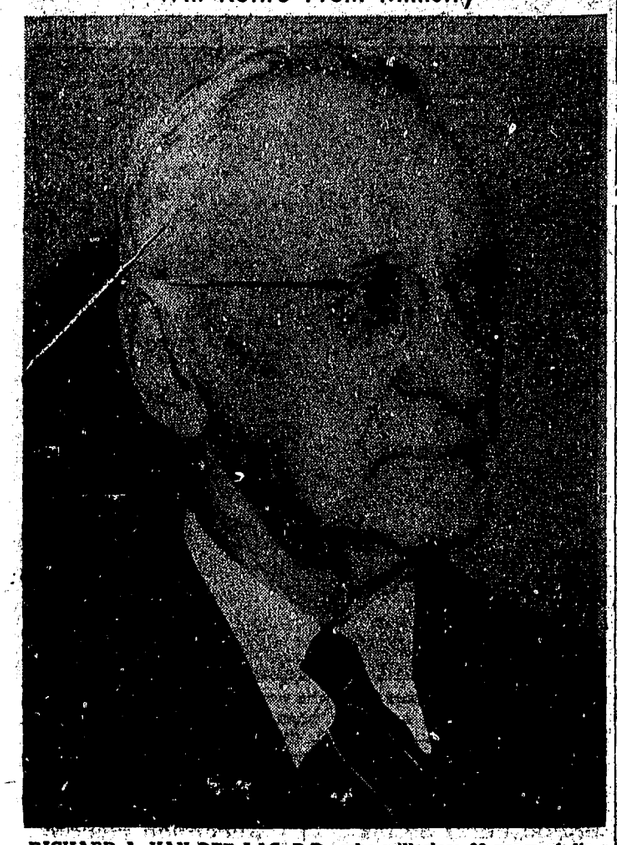

RICHARD A. VAN DER LAS, D.D., who will close 60 years of distinguished ministerial service this spring when he retires from the pastorate of the Presbyterian church in Ukiah.

Dr. Van der Las Will Retire After Sixty Years of Ministerial Service

In his 60 years in the ministry, the past 11 in Ukiah have been the happiest of his career, Richard A. Van der Las, D.D., minister of the Presbyterian church said this week in announcing that he will retire this summer and make his home in Fresno with his son's family.

The news is not new to his congregation and church officials who expect to relieve Dr. Van der Las in midsummer when a satisfactory selection has been made for a pastor to take his place.

The closing period of his ministry here was marked last Sunday, by the largest new membership group in the history of the church when 20 new candidates for membership stood at the altar. Oldest members of the church said they had never seen a response so heartening as on this Palm Sunday. Five young persons were baptised. They were the Misses Joan Dolores Crawford, Margie Lee Neese and Maxine N. Caulfield Mario T. Fracchia and Ernest Neese, Jr.

To Be Married

Miss Caulfield and Mr. Fracchia will be married by Dr. Van der Las in the church immediately following Easter services Sunday. The congregation and the public have been invited to attend the ceremony. After the wedding, Dr. Van der Las will go by plane to Fresno where he will attend a party for the seventh birthday of his granddaughter, Nancy Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ross Van der Las. March 31. He will return to Ukiah on April 1. Another son, Richard A., Jr., lives in Fairfax and is an official of American Express Company in San Francisco.

There is a year of anniversaries for Dr. Van der Las. Sixty years ago May 13, he preached his first sermon in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, after eight years of theological studies in University of Dubuque and at McCormick Seminary in Chicago. And it was on June 9, 1915 — 33 years ago — that telegraphic summons came, while he was in the pulpit, bidding him to report to receive his honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity.

Came From Oakland

Dr. and Mrs. Van der Las came to Ukiah in March, 1937. Her death followed December 31, 1941. They came here from Oakland where he had served 10 years as minister of Brooklyn Presbyterian church. Prior to that, he spent 13 years with Bethany Presbyterian church in Seattle.

Dr. Van der Las was born in Plattville, Wisconsin, December 9, 1865 and celebrated his 83rd birthday last year. His wife was a college mate, the former Miss Lulu A. Garber. Among the highlights of his career was the organiation of Huron College in South Dakota in 1898.

His 11 years in Ukiah have been marked by harmony and cooperation within the church, he said, and he closes his ministerial service here with a sense of happiness and satisfaction in the fact that no dissention nor disharmony has marred them. The church had some 85 active members in 1937. Today the membership has more than doubled, with 167 members. Since the first of January they have accepted into fellowship a total of 32. Others have indicated their intention of joining the church on Easter Sunday.

Commends Elders

Dr. Van der Las paid tribute this week to the congregation and the Session. Outstanding in administrating the affairs of the church he named Mr and Mrs. George P. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. William Bromley, Mr. and Mrs. Ed James, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bittenbender, and many others, he said, whose work has contributed to the present splendid status of the church organiaztion.

Organized In 1874

Another anniversary to be observed is April 4 when the Presbyterians commemorate their 74th year as a church. On that date, in 1874, the Ukiah church was organized in the Methodist Episcopal church which was then located where the Masonic temple now stands. There were 11 charter members, none of whom are now living.

Norton Wagenseller was the first clerk of the session. In 1905 John L. McNab, now an attorney of state-wide prominence, was appointed clerk, serving until 1912 when he went to San Francisco. He was succeeded by Anderson, who has served continuously since, and who furnished the historical facts for this record.

Eighteen ministers have served the church since its beginning. Dr. Van der Las who ended his 11th year on March 14, has served longest. Prior to him, two ministers with the longest service records were Dr. W. W. Breckenridge from 1916 to 1926 and the Rev. Lynn T. White, D.D., from 1930 to 1936. Dr. White continues to serve the pulpit frequently in the absence of the minister.

Jerry Hunt Celebrates Sixth Birthday Monday

Children's phonograph records, toys and books entertained the young friends of Jerry Hunt, when his sixth birthday was celebrated Monday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Hunt, 506 West Mill street.

An Easter rabbit's nest was the centerpiece on the refreshment table decorated in birthday colors of pink, yellow and blue, with a large white candle-lighted cake in pink and green decor.

Favors were coloring books given the guests to take home. They included Jerry's brothers, Kenneth and John, Tommy McFarland, Jen and Pattie Humphrey, Ruth Carmichael, Barbara Towne, George Weger and Janice Tusara.

Jerry has an older brother, Robert, who is 12.

Presbyterian Study Club Meets Thursday

Seven-Thirty club will meet in the Presbyterian church parlors at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 25, an hour earlier than their usual meeting time, it was announced by Dudley George, president.

This will be study group night with George Fahrney giving his review of Plotinus.

It was also announced that the Presbyterian choir will meet Friday night at 7:30, instead of Thursday, for practice. It has been requested that choir members have their robes cleaned for Easter morning service.

SHRINE CLUB TO DINE OUT

Members of the Pomo Shrine Club of Ukiah will hold their monthly dinner meeting Thursday evening at the Grapevine in Cloverdale. A large attendance is expected from Mendocino, Lake and Sonoma counties.

WOMEN'S SOCIAL AND CLUB NEWS

Mrs. Wm. Parker Is Honored At Shower

While candles were lighted by assembled guests, Mrs. William Parker opened gifts from a festively decorated umbrella at a stork shower in her honor Tuesday night. Mrs. Irvin Boesel of Thompson street was hostess. Her decorations in pastel spring flowers were arranged in unique miniature baby carriages, high chairs and baby shoes.

Mrs. Parker was the forme Miss Cola Hurt. This is the stork's first visit to the Parker home on Thompson street.

Games appropriate to the lady-in-waiting theme were played and prize winners were Mrs. Martin Stipp, Mrs. Robert Scott, Mrs. Arch Moyer and Mrs. Bill Bain.

Other guests were Mesdames Otis and Roy Hurt, William Driskill, Roy Creekmore, Rex, Alfred and Robert Parker, Clyde Graves Vernon Laird, Tony Bartolomei Robert Barton and M. E. Boesel Invited but unable to be present were Mesdames Anna Waugh, Herbert Smith and John Rumer.

Dessert refreshments featured cakes and ices in pastel colors.

Sons Honor Dads In Potter Valley

POTTER VALLEY, March 24. —Friday night, March 19, the boys of Potter Valley High school entertained their fathers at the second annual Father and Son banquet, celebrating the most successful athletic season in recent years. Two of the mothers, Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Cahill, prepared a sumptuous ham dinner.

After the banquet, Clyde Eddie, school trustee, complimented the boys on their efforts this year. George Dietterle, of the county superintendent of schools' office, outlined the values of the interscholastic sports program. He emphasized lessons in team play, good sportsmanship, respect for others and personal health habits.

Principal Wallace, who is coach briefly summarized the highlights of therecent football and basketball seasons and then presented the members of the respective teams their awards. This was the second year of football for Potter Valley, after a disastrous first year when they were unable to win a game. The local boys won four straight games and were in a position to at least tie for the championship when they were defeated by the Northwest League winners from Covelo. The following boys earned their letters for football: K. Burton, C. Cann, P. Cann, M. Cain, M. Cook, R. Foster, R. Jacobs, D. Ponts, R. Simpson, R. VanOsten, B. Whittaker and F. Reynolds.

The "B" basketball season was very successful, the team ending in second place after losing two heart-breakers by one and two points. The boys who were presented their awards were: K. Burton, P. Cann, M. Cook, D. Dashiell, J. Dashiell, G. Deike, M. Morton, D. Ponts, F. Reynolds and C. Simpson.

In early season games the varsity basketball team looked good in defeating Boonville, Hopland and Upper Lake before the league season started. After dropping two games on foreign floors, the boys finished the season in a blaze of glory by edging Covelo to complete the season undefeated on the home court and place second to Covelo in the league. C. Cann, M. Cain, R. Foster, R. Jacobs, R. McNiff, R. Simpson, R. VanOsten and B. Whittaker earn-

Boxing, wrestling matches and movies provided the entertainment of the evening for the men.

Celebrates Birthday With Easter Theme

POTTER VALLEY, March 24—Sharon O'Brien celebrated her first birthday last Friday when her mother, Mrs. Joe O'Brien, and grandmother, Mrs. C. T. Smalley entertained in her honor. Those who joined in the celebration were Mont and Jonathan Byer, Danny Vaughn, Mary and Kathy Whitcomb, Colin and Donny Meyers, Diane and Christine Hopper and Michael and Stephen Foster.

All the children were accompanied by their mothers. Each little guest donned a fancy paper hat and received balloons and an Easter basekt in addition to enjoying the beautiful birthday cake. Games and children's records provided amusement for the lively party.

UKIAH SAILOR GETS BREAK

Edmund Henry Frenyea, navy seaman second class, son of Mrs. Bertha R. Frenyea of Ukiah, has been selected to attend aviation fundamentals school at the naval air technical training center, Memphis, Tenn., for an 8-week course of instruction.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Estes have been spending a few days in Ukiah, here from San Pedro to look for a business investment in this area. They are investigating resort properties.

Kosmos Club Members

PHOTOGRAPHED FOR THEIR national magazine recently in the Municipal clubhouse, members are (left to right—TOP ROW) Mrs. George Davis, Mrs. Jack MacNab, Mrs. E. M. Corbett, Mrs. Vincent Giorno, Mrs. Cecil McCoy, Mrs. Walter Higgins, Mrs. J. R. Holmes, Mrs. F. D. Schell; MIDDLE ROW: Mrs. M. D. York, Mrs. J. C. White, Mrs. Ivan Shore, Mrs. Frank Wegner, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. A. P. Weger, Mrs. Harold Holiday, Mrs. Werner Holzhauser, Mrs. Katherine Mason, Mrs. W. C. Richardson, Mrs. A. J. Leno, Mrs. Della Hereford, Mrs. Joe Elledge; LOWER ROW: Mrs. John Finne, treasurer; Mrs. R. E. Dawson, secretary; Mrs. Loren York, Mrs. J. N. Stipp, president; Mrs. Nellie Russell, Mrs. Mary York and Mrs. Marion Marvin.

Lake Lions Hosts To Dist. Governor

Eight Ukiah Lions and ladies were guests of the Lakeport and Lake Shore Lions Clubs at the banquet given at the weekend in honor of District Governor Frank Beckman at the Rendezvous.

The occasion was another of the famous catfish frys for which Lake county is famous and members of the Ukiah club attending declare that all past records were exceeded by the excellence of the dinner set out and the quality of the fish served.

Attending from Ukiah were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Daubeneck, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schilder, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bechtol, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Frey, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. James Busch, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Zimmerman and Al Anton.

Distinguished among the guests were State Senator Burt Busch of Lakeport, Jerry Seawell of the state board of equalization, State Senator George Hatfield, and Mr. and Mrs. George Hobert of Hoberg's Resort.

Folk Dancing Feature Of Saturday Program

Saturday Afternoon club will be entertained with music and folk dancing when they meet at 2 p.m. in the Municipal clubhouse on Saturday. Mrs. Elmer Purdy, program chairman has arranged the entertainment with Miss Margaret Byrnes as soloist. The Misses Lois and Ruby Salisbury will present the folk dances.

Mrs. Louise A. Bernhard is hostess chairman for the event.

Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. William White returned Tuesday from Idaho with Willie Benedides and wife, who are charged with issuing a number of fictitious checks here in January.

P.T.A. Members Attend Informative District Meeting Held In Upper Lake

By Mrs. Mary Frohn

With a knowledge of P.T.A. policies and accomplishments, ways and means, and an enthusiasm that can not be dimmed, Mrs. Edward T. Walker's audience wanted more when she appeared before the 27th District Parent-Teachers association at Upper Lake Thursday. Mrs. Walker, third vice-president of California Congress of P.T.A., took education as her theme. Another speaker who held his listeners with information in the educational field, was Roland Hanson, Lake county superintendent of schools.

Mrs. Walker's three-day tour of this district, including a visit to Ukiah this week assured a good attendance at the session.

Mrs. Smith Honored

During the morning session a past president's pin was presented to Mrs. Jay Lee Smith who served four years as district president. Mrs. Smith was president of Redwood Valley unit earlier and now serves as district extension chairman.

Mrs. Lilburn Rice, district music chairman presented Miss Joan Freebourne in two piano selections. Upper Lake Cub Scouts led the Flag salute and an inspirational reading was given by Rev. B. F. Ray, pastor of the Upper Lake Methodist church. Members of the W.S.C.S. served a delicious luncheon at tables overflowing with spring flowers.

Teacher Shortage

At Upper Lake high school in the afternoon, Hanson stressed the serious shortage of teachers. In 1940 only one in one hunderd was an emergency teacher. Now one in nine has emergency credentials.

The high school glee club under direction of Miss Johnson presented several numbers with outstanding solo work by Miss Jean Dugger.

The North Bay conference will be held in Santa Rosa, April 13-14. All units are urged to send their presidents and at least one delegate for one day if not for both. A dinner for unit presidents will be held at the Methodist church while the educators banquet will be held at the Occidental hotel on the evening of April 13.

Tickets Available

Teachers and principals are urged to attend if possible. Tickets for both are available from Mrs. A. J. Koster, Willits. Hotel reservations are made with Mrs. Flora Saxon, Willits, and must be in by April 5.

Those planning to attend state convention in Sacramento on May 12, 13, 14 shoud make reservations with Mrs. Dorothy Smalley by April 1.

REHEARSE FOR EASTER

Senior Young People's society of the Baptist church rehearsing special Easter music for Sunday's church services, will attend union Good Friday services and remain for a potluck supper in the social hall. Richard Hall is president of the society and Catherine Larson is chairman of the supper committee.

5 Initiates Inducted Into Job's Daughters

With a pleasing demonstration of ceremonial work, five initiates were inducted into the order of Job's Daughters on Monday night in rites attended by more than 100 persons in Masonic Temple. Miss Patty Brown, Honored Queen, officiated.

The gathering was also the occasion for inspection by Mrs. Stella Jensen of San Francisco, grand deputy inspector, who was accompanied by her husband, Nathrup Jensen, associate supreme guardian of the United States.

Refreshments were served by a committee of which Miss Carol Cohn was chairman.

The initiates who entered the order were the Misses Janice Busch, Beverley Ward, Sherice Daugherty, Marilyn Hair and Evelyn Abel.

A dessert card party for the benefit of the order will be held on Saturday, April 10, at 7:30 in the dining room of Masonic temple. Adults and young friends are invited to make reservations with Mrs. Pearl Barker and Mrs. Jack Douglas.

Myron E. Phinney of 519 South State street, Ukiah, last week was issued a notary commission by Frank M. Johnson, secretary of state.

★ Anderson Valley News

PHILO, March 20.—Organization of a Boy Scout troop will take place at a meeting in Apple hall next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. All boys, ages 12 to 16, and their parents are asked to attend, as well as other interested citizens. Kenneth Hickenbottom of Ukiah, scout executive, will be present to explain the duties and qualifications of scouts. A color film on scouting will be shown. The Boy Scouts of America is an organization developed to interest boys in the practical side of living, as well as for the development of character, right living and worthwhile citizenship. Many years ago Boy Scouts were organized in this valley.

The Mendocino County Fair committee met at the farm advisor's office in Ukiah, March 15, for the purpose of checking and revising the premium books. Those on this committee were Cecil Gowan, Alice Gowan and Clarence Hulbert, of the Farm Center and Ruby Hulbert and Marie Housman of the Grange. An all-day meeting was held, and the revised premium books will be sent to Sacramento for final approval.

Visiting the Hale Burgers last week were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Burger and son David of San Luis Obispo. Stanley is doing postgraduate teaching at the San Luis Obispo agricultural school. Bob Burger also visited his parents, the Hale Burgers, recently. Bob is employed with the Pacific Telephone Company in Richmond. He brought with him his sister Mildred's son, who also visited his grandparents for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Charles had as their guest this week Margaret Charles' sister, Mrs. E. Kienenberger.

Mrs. Mary Rigden of Philo spent the weekend in Little River visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Moore of Moore's Camp Ground. While there she became a member of the ladies' auxiliary of the American Legion, which met in Fort Bragg Saturday night.

Mrs. Jess Ridley, accompanied by her daughters Dorothy and Evelyn, motored to Ukiah Thursday.

Mr. J. S. Ward, who has been visiting his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward of Philo, left Wednesday for his home in Los Angeles. Mrs. Ward was unable to accompany him this trip, as she stayed to look after their real estate interests. Mr. and Mrs. Ward plan to vacation in the east in May.

Sorrow again descended on the O'Brian family of Navarro this week, when Mrs. C Brian received word of the death of her father. The O'Brians, who had their home burn last fall and their son Ronny seriously burned, recently brought Ronny home from the Healdsburg hospital. Although out of danger it will be a long process of healing before he is completely well.

Mrs. Arnold Brown, who has been in San Francisco some weeks, returned home last Saturday.

It has been reported that a hospital plan was introduced to the valley people recently by the Cloverdale Chamber of Commerce. The hospital, which would be built from funds of the people in surrounding areas, would be built at Cloverdale. A real need for a hospital exists, as the closest are Ukiah, Healdsburg and Fort Bragg, but the question to be determined is whether one at Cloverdale would benefit the people of this section, as Cloverdale is nearly 30 miles from Boonville over a winding road. Possibly at a later date, the facts and information will be placed before the entire community. A meeting was held last Tuesday night, but notifications were sent to only a few, so a true representation was not present.

The Wildwood Choir held their weekly practice Thursday night at the Philo church. The Easter cantata will be given Easter Sunday night at the Philo church. Easter services in the morning will be held at the Boonville church. Both Boonville and Philo Sunday schools will have morning programs.

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Will Be Married Sunday

Maxine N. Caulfield

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Caulfield-Fracchia Rites Will Follow Easter Service At Presbyterian Church

Miss Maxine N. Caulfield and Mario T. Fracchia, native daughter and son of Ukiah, will take their marriage vows in the Presbyterian church following the Easter services Sunday. Dr. Richard A. Van der Las will officiate.

The rites, which will be informal and for which the Easter church congregation has been invited to stay, will be followed by a dinner for members of their families in the Canton room of the Palace Hotel. The young couple will leave immediately after for a week's honeymoon in southern California.

When they return they will occupy their new home on the ranch of Mr. and Mrs. L. Fracchia, parents of the groom-to-be, who have been ranchers in this area for 25 years. Their two daughters, Eda and Janette Fracchia also live on the ranch, which is three miles south of Ukiah.

The groom-elect, who is also a rancher, is a graduate of Ukiah high school, a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Ukiah Breakfast club.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caulfield, now living in the North Springs area. Her sister, Mrs. Donald Akers, lives on Redwood avenue where Miss Caulfield has been making her home. She has been employed by John's Studio. She graduated from Ukiah high school.

Mrs. Walker Stimulates Dos Rios P.T.A. Group

By Mrs. J. O. Geyer

Putting Dos Rios P.T.A. again on the map, Mrs. Edward L. Walker, 3rd vice president and director of extension, state congress, addressed a gathering at Dos Rios union school on March 17.

Mrs. J. L. Gipson, president of the local unit, presided.

Mrs. Walker pointed out the indispensable part the local units play in the national organization. Here theme was citizenship.

The necessity for wholesome home training and complete cooperation between parents and teachers was emphasized.

She stressed the importance of the school as a social and recreational center as well as an educational institution, in a rural community.

Mrs. Walker, whose home is in Los Angeles, is an able speaker, a diligent worker, of charming personality, forceful and energetic.

We had with us also on that day another visitor, Mrs. J. L. Smith, of Laytonville, P.T.A. extension worker, who organized this unit some time ago.

Most of the charter members were present, also some new members.

A delicious luncheon was served, featuring the St. Patrick Day motif. Everyone came away with a greater determination to make our local unit a success.

MRS. FRATI COMES HOME

Mrs. Peter A. Frati, 802 West Mill street, returned to her home Tuesday from San Mateo where she has been convalescing from major surgery performed in St. Mary's hospital in San Francisco several weeks ago.

Leaving the hospital early in March, she has been with friends until able to make the trip to Ukiah. She is well enough to be up and to undertake limited activities around her home.

THREE TEMPLARS KNIGHTED

The Knights Templar of the Masonic order have gained three new Sir Knights in the Temple within the past week with Lloyd Hamlin receiving his office on March 11. March 18 was the date on which William L. Rieter and Stanley Lance had the degree of Order of the Temple conferred on them.

Mrs. Lilly M. Thomas Passed Away Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Lilly M. Thomas of Potter Valley will be held from the Eversole Mortuary in Ukiah on Wednesday afternoon, March 24, at 2:30 o'clock, with Elbert Holland officiating.

Mrs. Thomas passed away Monday morning at the age of 72 years. She was the wife of Bert F. Thomas, the mother of Virgil Thomas and the sister of Mrs. A. R. Sides, all of Potter Valley. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Barnett of Cloverdale and was born in that place. Her life was spent in this community.

IN NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Davis are now in their new home on Jones street, where they moved from 112 South Hortense street. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Caylor have taken the home they vacated.

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Could This Be Your Back Yard?

IS THIS A BOMB-WRECKED street in London? No! This is the back yard of three Ukiah business establishments. Are they proud of its littered shambles? No! They are busily at work putting it shipshape. Clean-Up Week begins at home, they said, inviting the Journal photographer to reveal the worst in a 'before' picture and then come back and photograph the same scene when all is put in order. They hope it will open the eyes of others to scrutinize their own premises and go to with rake and shovel for a Clean-Up Week that will make downtown Ukiah the brightest spot on the Redwood highway.

Stress Shoreline Hiway Betterment

SACRAMENTO, March 20. — (WNS) — Representatives of the Redwood Empire Association and of Sonoma, Marin and Humboldt counties, appeared before the state highway commission Thursday of last week, asking that the state take immediate steps to improve the shoreline highway in Sonoma, Marin and Mendocino counties.

Particular stress was laid on repair of a stretch of the highway between Jenner and Gualala river with present hazards removed. The commission was told the area is a great attraction to tourists who are discouraged because of the condition of the highway.

The commission was also asked to include in its next budget funds for improvement of the state highway south of Clear Lake from the Napa county line to the junction with state highway 20.

RAIN HAMPERS GOLFERS

Members of Ukiah Women's Golf club played arm chair golf in Municipal clubhouse Tuesday afternoon while the rain came pelting down.

They completed plans for their benefit card party April 8 for which reservations are being made with Mrs. E. C. Albertson, Mrs. Henry Spurr or any club member.

Mendocino's Taxable Sales $23,675,240.00

SACRAMENTO, March 24. — (WNS)—Taxable sales in the state for the fiscal eyar 1946-47 totaled $9,378,558,840 and sales taxes returned $246,063,971, the board of equalization reported today. In addition the board assessed taxes of $2,661,549 through its audit program.

In Mendocino county taxable sales for the year amounted to $23,675,240 and sales tax collections totaled $591,881.

This formed .24 per cent of the state total and represented a gain of 57.80 per cent over the previous fiscal year.

CARL KELSEN SAILS AGAIN

Carl Kelsen, of the Merchant Marine, who has been in Japan for the past year, left on another voyage March 19 after a visit at home. He was entertained at dinner March 17 by Mr. and Mrs. Dom Crinella, who with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Carter and Mrs. Stella Kelsen, accompanied him to San Francisco where he boarded his ship.

Visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. K. Van Allen is their granddaughter, Miss Faith Wilson, who is spending her Easter vacation here from San Jose State college.

Instruments Recorded

MARCH 6, 1948

John Wallach et ux to Walter Tuttle et ux, land in lot 17 of Wallach subdn.

Joseph Scaramella et ux to Deryl Holloway et ux, land in T13N R17W.

Charlotte Johnston to Albert Tamborini et ux, land in T18N R17W.

John Ross to Robert Ross, Jr, et al, land in T19N R17W.

Minnie Natwick to Minnie Natwick et al, land in NW Add to Willits.

Robert Eldredge et ux to PG&E, right of way over land in T23N R17W.

Leila Kirk et ux to same, land in T5S R3E.

Indian Creek Lmbr Co to same, land in T5S R3E.

F W Gordon et ux to same, land in T23N R17W.

Sarah Allen to same, land in T23N R17W.

Benjamin Hansen et ux to same, land in T23N R17W.

John Haslam et ux to same, land in T23N R17W.

Ernest Eichin et ux to same, land in T24N R17W.

John Mangan et ux to same, land in T24N R17W.

Bertel Mork et ux to same, land in T24N R17W.

DEED OF TRUST

Deryl Holloway et ux to Bk Am, trustee for Joseph Scarmella et ux, land in T13N R17W.

RECONVEYANCES

Mendo Co Title Co to H M Cochrane et ux, deed of trust.

Mendo Co Title Co to Ernest Banker, deed of trust.

AGREEMENT FOR SALE

J A Mulcahy et al to Louis Giumelli, land in T21N R16W, all timber, redwood and fir, standing and down, located on said property, for the term of 2 years.

MARCH 9, 1948

DEEDS

F B Barnum, Inc to Carl Heinrici, land in T5S R2E.

Empire Mill & Timber Co to H C Crofoot et al, land in lot 140 of Yokayo rancho.

Louise McDonald to George Schneider, land in T24N R17W.

Union Lmbr Co to Faustino Calvo et ux, land in South Add to Fort Bragg.

Union Lmbr Co to Leander Siltanen et ux, land in lot 4, block 36 in Fort Bragg.

FINAL DISTRIBUTION

Est of Elma Elwell, decd, distributed to Robert Gardner personal property and real property, ½ int in land in Willits, and any other property not now known or discovered.

DEED OF TRUST

Crofoot Lmbr Co to Mendo Co Title Co, trustee and Empire Mill & Timber Co, land in lot 140 of Yokayo rancho.

MORTGAGES

Donald Dasher et ux to Eva Smith, sawmill head block, etc, used in sawmill at Cleone.

Crofoot Lmbr Co to Empire Mill & Timber Co, personal property used in sawmill north of Ukiah.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGE

Bk Am to Angelo Damiano et al.

AGREEMENT

Dana Burns to Crellin Fitzgerald, land in T13N R11W.

CONTRIBUTIONS

St Calif to Doyle Rowan, dba "Rowan's Mill & Supply Co." Total amount $829.68.

TRANSFER ALCOHOL LICENSE

Stanley Norton et al to Knowles Emerson et al, dba "Pioneer Inn," located at Potter Valley; sale to take place at offices of Spurr & Brunner, Ukiah.

MARCH 10, 1948

DEEDS

Randolph Stanley et ux to Roy Sjoland et ux, land in lot 2 of Jansen tract.

Elsie Frost to Dennie Willis et ux, land in Long Valley.

James Bradshaw et ux to S W Watson et ux, land in Ukiah.

Clifford Johnson et ux to Jana Rounds et ux, land in Fort Bragg.

Reno Cavallini et ux to Edward Fuzak et ux, land in T18N R17W.

Max Berlin et ux to Elder Brightenstine et ux, land in lot 6.

Mark Walker et ux to E E Busselmeier, land in T17N R13W.

Donald Martin et al to K Berth et ux, land in T18N R13W.

JUDGMENT

Ernest Elliott et ux vs D Smith, admin est of W B Jones, decd, land in Oak Park Add to Willits.

★ Willits News Notes

WILLITS, March 24.—Deputy Sheriffs Bartolomie and Ransdell stopped the black jack game at Andy's last Sunday morning. As souvenirs they took with them the black jack table, the chips, cards, money and L. D. Miner, the dealer. At this date they still have the table, chips, cards and money, but Miner has been bailed out. Les Goble, who operates the barroom, paid the $250 necessary to release Miner. Although the room was crowded, the whole affair was carried out with such tact that a good portion of the patrons did not know what happened until they read about it or heard about it next day.

Some people feel that the raid was incomplete. Before criticizing the officers, people should recall that peace officers must have positive proof of infractions of the law before action can be taken. Rumors, regardless of how numerous, or how coinciding, are not proof. The outcome of this incident is being closely watched by citizens of Willits where no gambling is allowed in any size, shape, form or fashion.

Gamblers: You can't gamble in Willits, but try an establishment just outside the city limis. Why not keep the money in Willits and let taxpayers in Willits benefit?

Nominated as the hero of the week: Merle "Smiley" Lewis. Smiley had been keeping late hours (working, of course) and was preparing to retire when he heard a crash and the sound of breaking glass. Without a second's deliberation he, unarmed, investigated. Leaving the cabin he rents at Eleven Oaks, he quietly walked down to the service station where he found John C. Cole breaking in. Smiley then held Cole (physically when necessary) until the police arrived. Cole was turned over to the sheriff in Ukiah on March 23, and Lewis is back keeping late hours, (working, of course). That deserves a week of free rent, even at prices charged these days.

Although the final curtain has been rung down on the Lions Club minstrel show, Bones, Sambo, Rastus, Honey Boy, Percy Lowshoes, Lusty Overfed and J. Dishwater Black are still spoken of with mirth and admiration. These are but a few who took part in the Minstrel Olio and the "Coontown Thirteen Club." If you are still not sure who was in it, just look for the gentlemen in town who seem to hae dirty necks and ears or who seem to have unexplained circles and shadows under their eyes. In truth, they are the fellows, for we are told that blackface is the hardest thing to get off. One person whose identity cannot be washed off is Harold Innbad (Louis Bertain), whose dome we cannot mistake whether he paints it black or leaves it at its usual luster. Special thanks is due to H. Jorgensen and Bill Ford who arranged the script, some of which was original. That which they borrowed was edited to fit the characters and the townspeople. All in all, it was well worth the time, paience and effort the Lions and their helpers put into the farce. To say it was well received would be an understatement. In fact, several of the end men are contemplating competition with Al Jolson on the audience's reaction alone. The Lions Club wishes to express their appreciation to the ladies and gentlemen who helped make their show a $500 success.

Spring has arrived, according to the calendar. Judging from the weather, winter has made a quick comeback. If you think it has been wet and miserable the last few days, check the statistics. On March 23, at 6 a.m., the reading showed 2.20 inches; 27.86 for the season or 6.28 inches less than last year at this time. If you are an old-timer you may recall that 10 years ago, March 23, 1938, 12.21 inches fell, bringing that season's rainfall up to 79.44. Sure was wet, wasn't it?

Despite the rain, the P.G.&E. crew are working on the new water main, a 10 inch pipe being laid on Main street from Valley to State street. Being two inches larger than the old line. Thus far it has not caused much inconvenience to motorists other than the noise. However, when they start crossing the highway, and they will do so four times, we fear for the safety of the crew and motorists when the big trucks come speeding through Willits and come to one lane traffic.

Down visiting friends and relatives in Willits are Mrs. Clarence Heney and daughter from Fortuna.

Has your wife been nagging you for a deep freeze, a new cook stove? Does she consider your tank type water heater outmoded and wants a table top model? Does Junior want a portable radio? Would you like an outboard motor or a radio-phonograph combination? Could anyone use $50 in cash? Sound like a dream? These are but a few of the 18 grand prizes offered by the Willits Athletic club. Investment tickets may be secured from any of its members and the lucky 18 will be picked at their dance. The dance will be at the Willits Park Pavilion on April 3 with Ralph Rawson and orchestra doing musical honors. If you can't come to the dance, don't fret, for should your name be among the winners, you need not be present. And your investment into the venture will be put into the fund for lights for the Willits baseball park. Actually, you can't lose.

The Lee Wises, Ken Robys, Gordon Hills, Ray Evans and the Harry Kisters all motored up to Rancho Meson last Monday evening. The purpose, other than dinner, was a meeting of the Willits Riflemen's Association. Business conducted included the completion of charter memberships and a decision that next week, weather favoring, work would start on range construction.

In San Francisco for the weekend is Al Wilburn. Out of the rain into the fog. Others in the fog of the bay city this weekend include Mrs. Birdie Anker and Mrs. Bessie Bittenbender.

Evidently there was no foul play concerned with the plunge Ottis Baskin took down an 80-foot cliff near Island Mountain recently. It was a costly miscalculation of distance which first sent the man to the hospital in Willits and Saturday he was taken to the S.P. Hospital in San Francisco via pullman. He is reported improving.

Seen in Willits this week was Ralph Hansen from Weott, one-time partner in the Krch & Hansen Construction Company and now in the contract logging business for himself.

The wet weather must have started the rheumatism acting up in the bones of our old feathered doc, consequently, the ole boy felt up to only one trip—a daughter for Critton and Eula Gardner of Willits.

Mrs. Lucy Reynolds underwent major surgery in Mary's Help hospital, San Francisco, Saturday night. Though the worst is over the lady is to be confined to her bed for two more weeks and then must remain in the bay city for further treatments. Hurry and get well, so that your friends in Willits can see you soon, Mrs. Reynolds.

Prompted by brotherly love or some other motive, Edward Tolleson and brother Carl teamed up on another fellow in an exchange of fisticuffs. Whatever the motive it came high—$25 bail, thus far.

Should the sun choose to shine Sunday, the firemen are to don work clothes and turn out at the rodeo grounds for work detail.

Judge Fred Foord's court heard the case of Grace Williams and the Willits Beauty Salon. Mrs. Williams is suing the shop for injuring her hair during a permanent.

Among those who ate of the roast beef dinner at the Past Masters' Night of Abell Lodge in Ukiah and watched the degree team of past masters confer the third degree were six members of the Willits Lodge, F.&A.M. These included George Jamieson, worshipful master; Floyd Loots, Melvin Butcher, Charles Zanell, George Marshall and Alvin Koster. On March 22 a baker's dozen of members of the same lodge turned out for a school of instruction. The instructor was E. M. Hopper of Ukiah, who did a thorough job.

For all those who have been lamenting the untidy condition of our streets, there is hope. Hope in the form of a street sweeper purchased by the California Division of Highways. Having both rotary and horizontal brushes, it is bound to do a super job wherever used. It is to be used in Fort Bragg, Willits, Ukiah and Lakeport. However, the highway division will clean only the highway — or, in Willits, Main street — and if residents on side streets want clean streets, they had best be getting after the present and future city dads.

An adult education class was held last Monday through joint sponsorship of the high school and the cooperative nursery school. All those attending listened and gained knowledge from a talk on all phases of nutrition, from proper diet to exercise. These classes are held every second and fourth Monday night at the Methodist church social hall and the public is invited.

Additional information has been released on the Mendocino County Federation of Women's Clubs to be held Saturday, April 3, in Covelo. The speakers will be Mrs. Earl Shoesmith of San Leandro, who is the recording secretary of the General federation of Women's Clubs, and Mrs. Paul Alexander of San Francisco, San Francisco District Federation of Women's Clubs president. The evening before all ladies attending are invited to a no-host dinner at the Covelo Hotel. Reservations must be made with the local club secretary at least a week in advance, so hurry or you may miss the fun. The same two speakers will be guests at the W.I.C. club of Willits on April 2. It will otherwise be a regular meeting held at the Veterans' Memorial building at 2:15 p.m. All members are urged to attend and welcome the guests. Hostesses for the occasion wil be Mesdames John Williams, Helen Moore and Joseph Harrah.

T/Sgt. Raymond St. Louis is back in Willits, and Willits in any weather would seem good to the young man after 13 months with the occupation forces in Japan. How's it feel to be a civilian of less than 30 days, sarge?

Other activity sponsored by a church was the Sunday school program last Sunday at the Methodist church. Rev. Haggarty gave The Message of Easter, while the small fry provided a program of interesting events. The little ones were Georgia Krch, Edith Tattersfield, Patty Harrah, Carolyn Brown, Judith Stark, Diane Baechtel, Claudia Blair, Peggy Edwards, Sharon Stark, Charmel Butcher, Maureen Black, Annie Rothsprack, Ellen Daskam, Nettie Blair, Joan Hanger, Mike Hall and Peter Cerutti. Good work, kids!

Can rain solve the power problem?

Up-to-date answers to questions about the shortage

1 Are rains enough? No. Literally, too much water's gone out of too many reservoirs. Rains now cannot be expected to replace it.

2 Just how bad is the drought? It's the worst water power year in our history. This season's rainfall is far below normal. The snowpack in the mountains is scant. What snow and rain we have had has been poorly distributed—not enough of it in the area where it's needed most. And... to make things worse... this dry season follows a dry one last year.

3 What's the drought got to do with electricity? Water is power. Water shortage means power shortage. We have 14 steam-electric generating plants, but most of California's electricity is supplied by water. Today our 55 hydro-electric plants need water. Our 121 reservoirs are thirsty. Some are almost empty. The drought, too, creates unusual irrigation demands in orchards and farms. Pumping water takes still more electricity. That makes a bad problem worse.

4 Is the drought the only cause of the emergency? No. Actually there are many causes and the drought intensifies them. The story, boiled down, is this: During the war years we couldn't obtain priorities to maintain our normal building program. As soon as war controls were removed in 1945 we started all over again placing orders for generators, boilers, transformers and other equipment. Complex generators aren't sold like used cars. They must be built to order, piece-by-piece. The few plants in our country equipped to make them were crippled by strikes and other obstacles. Their production suffered. Delivery dates were missed. To make a tough problem tougher, the demand for electric power has increased even faster than California's tremendous growth in population.

Just last January we received the first steam-electric generator ordered before the war and re-ordered in 1945.

Place all these things together. Add the drought and the greatest migration in history. That's the emergency.

5 Where does the situation stand today? At best it is serious. We have been doing our best, and have been doing so right along, to get power from every source...and rush more steam-electric generators into service. But, as it stands today, no one can tell how long this critical situation will last...or how much worse it will get.

6 Will the new Shasta power help? Of course. Every bit helps. But new Shasta power alone is only a fraction of the total needed. Our area demand is more than 2,000,000 kilowatts. Shasta is expected to supply, next month, about 75,000 additional kilowatts, and another 75,000 kilowatts later in the year. It will help but you can see it won't go far.

7 How about daylight saving time? That means more help... equal to about 140,000 kilowatts. But it's still not a solution. The biggest saving, of course, is the 20% cut in use ordered by the California Public Utilities Commission.

8 What is our record of public service? Let's take a quick look at the score: Except in wartime when we were refused priorities we have always built successfully ahead of demand. Our area enjoys the greatest farm electrification in the country. Our farms are 98% electrified... far ahead of other sections. Our rates are low. During the war we supplied power to a staggering number of industries. Not one was ever shut down for lack of power. Throughout California's greatest years of development electric power in good supply and at low rates has played a major part.

9 What are we doing to solve present problems? Since the war we've been building just as fast as is humanly possible...in spite of delayed delivery dates, material shortages and the like.

Right now, we're in the midst of a huge program of building hydro and steam electric plants. In the last year of the war, 1945, we spent over $22,500,000 on that program; in 1946, $45,000,000 and in 1947 over $100,000,000. Our 1948 construction expenditures are running at a rate exceeding $10,000,000 per month.

We're going to provide just as much power, from as many sources, as we can...in spite of obstacles.

Here's how you can lend a helping hand

This problem is everybody's problem...agriculture, industry, labor, business and householders. You can add your help by remembering to turn off all lights you aren't actually using...in the hall, on the porch, in the bathroom, in the garage. You can keep down the use of electric heaters. You can make sure the refrigerator door is tightly closed. With just a little care you can help a lot to stretch precious power. Won't you lend your helping hand?

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PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

Ukiah Methodists' Golden Jubilee Honors Twenty-two Members Living

They wore the costumes of the Nineties — they revived nostalgic memories of horse and buggy courtships. In song and story they brought back the events of another era and there was laughter and sometimes tears.

It was the Golden Jubilee of the Methodists who honored their 22 living members, last Thursday night, for 50 years and more of service in the church. It was the story of more than 50 years of struggle and accomplishment to build an organization and a church of distinction for worship and community service. It recounted the federation of the old South Methodists with the St. John's Methodists in 1925—laying the cornerstone of their federated church in 1926 and its destruction by fire that well-remembered night of November 24, 1929.

It was a merry occasion and it began at the doorway of the social hall where the Rev. Charles G. Lindemann, a Gay Nineties blade in a frock coat with properly waxed mustache and pointed goatee, stood in the reception line with Mrs. Lindemann; in pale pink crepe; Mrs. John Woodworth, wearing blue; Mrs. Albert E. Green, who wore a soutache-braided jacket and pork-pie hat which belonged to her grandmother and Mrs. Henry Frohn, in blue crepe trimmed with gold lace. Mrs. Frohn is president of W.S.C.S. which sponsored the celebration.

The Honorees

Following community singing led by P. H. Joseph and with John Woodworth as able master of ceremonies, the honorees of the occasion were given their citations for long and faithful service and took their bows. Some were induced to the platform to recall with laughter and tears their cherished memories of church and personal history—to mention those who played their part and went on to other work.

Since the records of the church, prior to 1929 were destroyed in the fire, it was not possible to ascertain, for certain, the oldest membership, but the honor went unofficially to **Mrs. Mary Williams**, now 93 whose membership dates back 79 years. She and her sister, **Mrs. Nancy Akers**, daughters of the pioneer R. W. Jamison family of Redwood Valley, were members of the old South Methodist church there before a church was established in Ukiah. They were born in Sonoma and came to the valley when Mrs. Williams was about five years old.

Second oldest membership, it was decided, is that of **Mrs. Mary Kauffman** whose maiden name was Mary Schlitz. She lived as a girl on the farm owned by the Beck family, two miles south of Ukiah on the Redwood highway. For a number of years she was school nurse here.

Mrs. Velma Eversole was named the member belonging for the longest period. She joined the church in 1889 when she came to Ukiah with her husband, the late J. W. Eversole, whose generosity was recalled in building the old St. John's church, and later the present structure.

Mrs. Kate Stewart, while not a member of the Ukiah church for 50 years, has been a Methodist much longer and is now 89. She came to Ukiah from Holyoke, Colorado.

Charles Duncan, 89, was named the oldest man of membership. He was for many years cashier of the old First National Bank. His mother, a pioneer churchwoman, was affectionately known until her death as "Grandma Duncan."

James R. Thomas, lawyer and former mayor of Ukiah and a member of the wellknown Thomas family, was an honoree. His father was a Methodist minister and at one time president of a Georgia college.

Marvin Ford, with large farm interests in the valley, is a former county supervisor, and a member of the pioneer Ford family. His father, the late William Ford, was once county treasurer. Not present, but sending greetings through Rev. Lindemann were E. M. and W. A. Ford.

Mrs. Marvin Ford was another honored guest who has worked faithfully in the church for more than 50 years.

Mrs. W. D. L. Held, member of the pioneer Prague family, was formerly Miss Ethel Prague and her father was a former justice of the peace. Her brother, G. R. Prague, now living in Colusa, was a former Mendocino county attorney. Mrs. Held taught in the elementary school. She is past president of the W.S.C.S. and her husband is a retired superior court judge.

Mrs. Louella Williams is also a former teacher and wellknown educator and an accomplished musician. Caring for her mother in later years she has been retired from business and civic activities.

Mrs. Minnie Jamison, wife of the late J. A. Jamison, is a member of the pioneer Standley family, a sister of Admiral "Hal" Standley and daughter of "Doc" Standley, an early sheriff of Mendocino county.

Mrs. Bertha Emery, until her retirement a few years ago was an active business woman of Ukiah. She owned a dress shop and millinery store and was a member of the Luce family which did much for the progress of the old South Methodist church.

Mrs. Nellie Sanford, a truly pioneer member, joined the church when she was a child but after her marriage lived in Sebastopol. Her father was the late John P. Hoffman and another who helped the old St. John's church to weather financial stresses. Noted as a teacher of children, Mrs. Sanford is now teaching children of some of her former pupils. Her husband was the late J. N. Sanford.

Mrs. Mary Beckley, widow of the late Nathan Beckley, recalled the days with vivid memory when the church was the meeting ground for courting swains; when Dr. L. K. Van Allen and Phil Josephs were the village cutups. Famous for her snow pudding, of which she has made gallons for church affairs, she was also cited for the feat of making 600 biscuits for one church supper. Her husband was a trustee of the church and member of the building committee and for over 31 years superintendent of the city water system.

Mrs. Elizabeth Van Allen was a member of the South Methodist church when she married **Dr. L. K. Van Allen** of St. John's, to which she transferred her membership. Both have been faithful in church activities, giving generously in time and financial support. Dr. Van Allen spoke, and in moving terms, for his wife who was unable to be present.

P. H. Joseph's excellent tenor has been a valued contribution to church services, choir and social events. He operates the jewelry business his father started in Ukiah, which he says is the oldest firm in the city.

Mrs. Pearl Sturtevant and **Mrs. Arthur Stipp** are daughters of Thomas and Mary Fine, early pioneers of the valley. Their home was the old Fine place south of Ukiah where Judge and Mrs. Sturtevant now live. Their generous gift to the chimes fund was acknowledged. Mrs. Stipp is famous for her lovely flower arrangements and floral gifts for church occasions. She wore a black taffeta frock with chiffon jabot which belonged to her mother.

Mrs. Minnie Charlton and **Mrs. Susie Thomson** are sisters and members of the pioneer Ogle family. Mrs. Charleton's husband, Louis was for years trustee of the church and an active member.

The Program

Earl Snyder was the man whose memories of courtship days were revived in living pictures in a skit, "Sweetheart Days of Old," directed by Mrs. Lindemann and Mrs. Woodworth on behalf of the Young Adults Group. Eugene Corbett, John Woodworth, Mrs. Thomas McCabe, Mrs. J. D. Branson, Mrs. Harold Kirk, were musicians who with piano, vocal and clarinet, dramatized the following "sweethearts" in song:

Schoolgirl..Mrs. Everett Swigert
Peggy O'Neill, Mrs. Myrle Devoy
Indian Maid.....Mrs. Ruby Stotts
Clementine, Mrs. Harold Lawrence
K-K-K-Katy....Mrs. Nolan Hunt
Gypsy Love Call, Mrs. Robert Frohn
Old Fashioned Garden, Mrs. Ted Hinds
Jeannie.....Mrs. Frank Harader
Sylvia.....Mrs. John Woodworth
Sweetheart (and Wife), Mrs. Earl Snyder

The Costumes

In the wedding dress worn by her husband's mother 65 years ago, Mrs. Henry Taylor was a quaintly delightful figure in changeable blue and green silk trimmed in black lace. Mrs. Frank Harader wore an exquisite oyster white lace dress circa 1800, loaned to her by Mrs. James B. Massengill. Mrs. Everett Evans was a picture in the old-new look in an elegantly embroidered shirtwaist and black skirt in the original Gibson girl tradition. Mrs. John W. Taylor was elegant in a maroon cut-velvet basque frock with tiny collar of real lace which she described as the property of an Englishwoman who lived in Hopland, whose belongings were sold at auction after her death, where he family acquired the picturesque costume for 50 cents.

Pictures of the pioneer members, the grand march, led by Rev. and Mrs. Lindemann and the costumed members were taken by Mrs. Myrle Devoy.

The Committees

Mrs. Henry Frohn gave credit and appreciation to the following committees which assisted in making it one of the memorable occasions in Ukiah social events:

Reception committee, Mrs. Lindemann, Mrs. Woodworth. Program committee, Mrs. Woodworth as chairman of the Young Adult Group. Decorations, Mrs. Robert Becker for Circles A-B. Refreshments, Mrs. Everett Evans and Circle D. Furniture and lighting, Mrs. Rita Saulsberry directing a high school group.

Highlights

Music on old-fashioned themes directed by Eugene Corbett and vocal selections by Mrs. Branson, Mrs. Kirk and Mrs. McCabe—Mrs. Kirk in a quaint southern-belle costume having hoop-skirt trouble, at the piano—Mrs. Beckley bringing a blush to Joseph and Van Allen cheeks when she recounted the story of Phil Joseph bringing his chic "French girl" to a Sunday school event, who, under "her" veil, turned out to be the now dignified Dr. Van Allen; Mrs. Harader, lovely as a Victorian dream as Jeannie with the Light Brown Hair; Mrs. Frohn, a picture as the gypsy in the sweetheart skit; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Snyder in the happy ending of the skit, and very realistic; Mrs. Devoy, looking like a Vogue illustration as Peggy O'Neill; Mrs. Lawrence as an authentic hard-rock miner's daughter, Clementine; Mrs. Stotts, a lovely Indian maid; Mrs. Hunt looking ready to stutter as K-K-K-Katy; Mrs. Hinds, sweet as a garden pink in April, as the Old Fashioned girl; Mrs. Woodworth, as serene as Sylvia herself in blue taffeta with one effective camellia; Mrs. Snyder, generously forgiving her husband for recalling "all those girls"; Mrs. Lucia Cleland, taking a bow for work well done.

The profusion of spring blossoms and the buffet supper table with its crystal punch service and candles on a lace cloth; memories of early-day Methodists who sat in the "Amen corner" and worried the current minister when they failed to give with sufficient Amens; the old days when Oak street mud ruined the girls' best Sunday high-buttoned shoes — courtship days and walking home the long way 'round — and the evangelists shook the congregation over the fiery pit and preached sin and perdition.

Honored In Methodist Jubilee

MRS. MARY WILLIAMS, 93, was honored as the oldest living member of the Methodist church when their Golden Jubilee was celebrated March 18. Her sister, Mrs. Nancy Akers, 79, was also an honoree. Both are daughters of the pioneer Redwood Valley R. W. Jameson family. Mrs. Williams, who was photographed in her home at 124 Ford street, has been a member of the local church for 79 years.

R.E.A. Conference Called By Poulos

A dinner meeting called by Paul Poulos, vice president of the Redwood Empire Association, was held Wednesday night in the dining room of the Maple Cafe when the matter of promoting greater tourist travel through the Empire was the chief topic.

R.E.A. Presidon Al Beecher of Lakeport and John Boucher, field executive from San Francisco, attended, with the following local members of the association: George P. Anderson, H. W. Brown, R. F. Clarke, H. M. Cochrane, Ralph Hogan, R. L. Hollander, F. W. Sandelin, Jr., Arthur Schilder, Vince Lotti and Don Macmillan of Hopland and Earl Maize of Willits.

The Empire association, says President Beecher, is now prepared to extend its urge to see the redwoods into southern California, to induce tourists from that section, and those who come there on vacation, to make their trip complete by seeing the empire counties.

Mr. Boucher will remain in this county and make periodical calls into different sections in the interest of greater tourist travel.

NEBRASKA VISITOR HERE

Mr. and Mrs. John Woodworth, Jr., with Mr. Woodworth's sister, Mrs. Walter Gartner, spent Saturday in San Francisco, shopping, visiting and sight-seeing. Mrs. Gartner, of Hastings, Neb. has been a visitor at the Woodworth home for the past week.

Oranges were first introduced into California in the 18th century but the first orange grove was not laid out until the 19th century.

LEGAL NOTICE

State of California
Department of Public Works
Division of Highways

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the State Highway Engineer, Room 373, Public Works Building, Sacramento, California, until 2 o'clock p.m. on April 7, 1948, at which time they will be publicly opened and read in the Assembly Room of said building, for constructing State Highway in accordance with the Specifications therefor, to which special reference is made, as follows:

Mendocino County, between 1.5 miles south of Forsythe Creek and 3.5 miles north of Forsythe Creek (1-Men-1-C,D) about five and two-tenths (5.2) miles in length to be graded and surfaced with plant-mixed surfacing on cement treated base, and a steel beam bridge to be constructed.

Bids are required for the entire work described herein.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 1770 of the Labor Code, the Department of Public Works has ascertained the general prevailing rate of wages applicable to the work to be done to be as follows:

Classification	Rate per hour
Apprentice oiler, power shovels or cranes	$1.65
Asphalt plant engineer	2.10
Asphalt spreading machine operator	2.10
Blasters-Powdermen	1.65
Boxmen or mixer operator (concrete or asphalt plant)	1.80
Carpenter	2.00
Cement finisher (journeyman)	2.025
Concrete mixer operator (up to one yard)	1.75
Concrete mixer operator (over one yard and paving type)	2.05
Concrete vibrator operator	1.525
Derrick operator	2.25
Fireman in hot plant	1.75
Flagman	1.30
Jackhammer operator	1.525
Laborer	1.30
Mechanical finisher operator (concrete or asphalt) (highway or street work)	2.10
Oil distributor bootman	1.425
Operator of power shovel and/or other excavating equipment with shovel type controls (up to and including one yard)	2.25
Operator of power shovel and/or other excavating equipment with shovel type controls (over one yard)	2.40
Painter (brush)	2.00
Painter (spray)	2.00
Painter (structural steel)	2.00
Pile driver hoistman or operator	2.25
Pile driver man	2.125
Power grader operator (power planer, motor patrol or any type power blade)	2.25
Reinforcing steel worker	2.00
Roller operator	2.10
Structural steel worker	2.25
Tractor driver	2.10
Truck driver (18 cubic yards water level capacity or more)	1.8625
Truck driver (14 cubic yards and less than 18 cubic yards water level capacity)	1.7375
Truck driver (8 cubic yards and less than 14 cubic yards water level capacity)	1.675
Truck driver (4 cubic yards and less than 8 cubic yards water level capacity)	1.4875
Truck driver (less than 4 cubic yards water level capacity)	1.40
Any classification omitted herein not less than	1.30

Overtime—one and one-half (1½) times the above rates.

Sundays and holidays—one and one-half (1½) times the above rates.

Plans may be seen, and forms of proposals, bonds, contract, and specifications may be obtained at the office of the State Highway Engineer, Public Works Building, Sacramento, California, and they may be seen at the offices of the District Engineers at Los Angeles and San Francisco, at the office of the District Engineer of the District in which the work is situated, and at the office of the Associated General Contractors in San Francisco.

No bid will be considered unless it is made on a blank form furnished by the State Highway Engineer and is made in accordance with the provisions of the Proposal Requirements and Conditions set forth under Section 2 of the Standard Specifications. Each bidder must be licensed and also prequalified as required by law. (See said Proposal Requirements and Conditions.)

The Department of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS.
G. T. McCOY,
State Highway Engineer.

Dated March 12, 1948.

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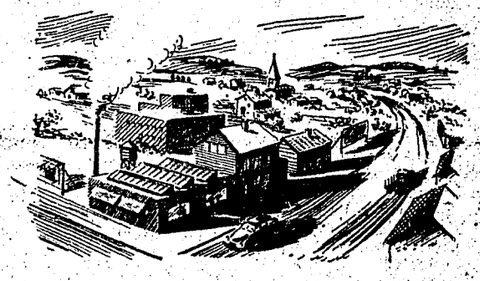
The Redwood Lumber Industry brought an $11,677,846 PAYROLL into Humboldt and Mendocino Counties last year!

THIS IS BOB TURNER; LOGGER

Bob may be you or your neighbor. He's one of the many men and women in your community who earn their living in the Redwood Lumber Industry. He's a good worker . . . and he earns good money. Last year, Bob and his fellow workers . . . in the woods, in the mills, in mill offices . . . had a combined pay check that totaled $11,677,846!

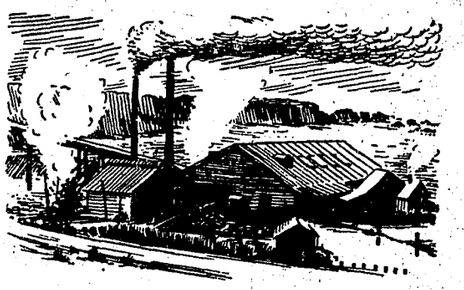


THIS IS THE TOWN BOB LIVES IN

Like many of his co-workers, Bob owns his own home. His kids go to school along with yours. He is a taxpayer. A good part of the money he earns in the mills helps pay the wages of everybody on the local payroll; supporting the firehouses, schools, churches and public officials. He's glad he can pay taxes. He's proud as punch of his hometown!

THIS IS THE TURNER FAMILY'S GROCER

Bob's got a baker and a butcher and a milkman who send him monthly bills, too! But, over and above his family living expenses, Bob manages to sock a fair amount in his savings account. *Every* payday! In the bank his money earns interest for him and for the bank. All in all, Bob's transactions add up to a pretty brisk piece of local business!



THIS IS THE COMPANY HE WORKS FOR

It's one of the eight lumber companies who, together, form the Redwood Operators Committee! Bob's company, like the others, is an old and vital part of Humboldt and Mendocino county communities. From the company's woods and mills a mighty stream of gold flows into thousands of pockets just like Bob Turner's. There's undoubtedly some of it in *yours!*

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